

**BURNING OF PUBLIC BUILDING**  
ANDRIA—DESTRUCTION OF  
TIONARY RELICS.  
Wash. Cor. N. Y. Herald, Sa  
The fire which occurred in  
this morning destroyed all the  
ings, including many time-hon  
ors associated with old colonial  
was one of the most destructiv  
tions that has ever visited t  
town. The fire burned four

left an acre and a half of the valuable property in the city a wall which some fire-blackened walls alone remain. The total reach \$130,000, of which not a cent is covered by insurance. A records for a century, stored in the buildings, were burned. The Alexandria had many revolutionary Alexandria Washington Lodging a number of relics of Washington was one of the masters of the

the Washington rifle and the Museum were saved, including the Alexandria company of rifle regiment, the flag of Jones, and that borne by the body guard during the trial of the men who had tried to kill the president. The records were saved. Buildings hurried came down for the time, and others were of the date. The lot on which the

set apart for a market place in the old court house just burned down in that year. It was here that George Washington's troops were ordered after the capture of Fort Mifflin in 1776, and from here Braddock's troops marched to their defeat in 1755 in this place that occurred there between Washington and Cornwallis in this old court house Washington's last vote. It is a local tradition that at that time (1790), the stone

were were rickety and trembling like  
the old general alighted from his horse  
at once, and was about as usual as  
trembling halfway, the crowd gathered  
to witness the electric fight, one  
and one second, and with hands he  
assisted the ropes until he had  
returned. The old warrior  
from the southeast corner of the university  
only one of all the old comrade  
which remained. It was quiet

tax country jail, in 1783, and last century each corner of it with a tall pike, on which was the head of a negro, executed for treason and murder. Apart from any loss to the city, there is a feeling of sorrow among Alabamians at the loss of so much association with the lives of the citizens. Without the aid of the Washington fire the loss would have been far less.

**Great Fires in the Po  
nin Woods.**

From the Mauch Chunk Coal  
Nearly every year there are  
fire in the woods near Whit-  
this is not an exception. For  
weeks there has been consider-  
much damage done. Last  
Fawn Run, the fire burst forth  
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gone, it is desirable to buy his equal at this price. Yes, but it is wrong to buy Italian villa. The character, the lesser man is in no way stated the

George Fox and George saved. It was only by great effort that the whole town of Leonora was saved from destruction. The contents of the hotel and all its contents were saved. At Hickory Run the loss of the people being out fighting the fire two days. Fortunately a heavy rain on Monday night and put the fire out. It would be impossible to estimate the consequences would have been if the destruction fire had not been so soon put out.

the northern part of this country.

**Mark Twain on maids.**

Against all chambermaids, age or nationality, laundress, bachelordom :  
Because :  
They always put the pillow on the end of the bed from the side that while you read and

sleeping (as in the ancient custom of the bachelors), your book aloft in an uncomfortable, to keep the light from eyes.

If they can't get the light in a convenient position any other way, the bed.

If you pull your trunk from the well, so that the light when you open it, they allow the trunk back again. They do

They always put your clothes in inaccessible places. They depositing them as far and wide as the wall will permit. It is because they want to keep your clothes to get down in unexplored places, and make wild swarms of insects to come out of the dark with the sweetest of smells. They are forever moving your clothes. When you come in, in the morning, you find the clothes on the wardrobe as in the morning of the day before.

you come in as midnight,  
 you will fall over the rocks  
 you will proceed towards the  
 sit down in the slop tub.  
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 and move it the first chance  
 They always save up the  
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 and stack them carefully on  
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